

SOCIETY

Mr. and Mrs. Pleasanton Laws Con-
wedding reception of their daughter,
Emma Parks, and James Clifton
Wheat, to take place at the home on
the Hermitage Road Saturday evening,
April 14, at 8:30 o'clock. Only the
immediate families will be present at
the ceremony and a small reception
will follow.

Mr. Wheat is a son of Mrs. Lewis
Wheat and the late Dr. Wheat, of this
city.

Winter Ball.
The holiday ball which will be given
by the Social Workers of the Nurses
Settlement promises to be a brilliant
and fashionable affair. The enter-
tainment will be held at the Jefferson
Hotel on the evening of Tuesday,
April 10, and all sorts of novel features
have been arranged for the entertain-
ment of those present. The ballroom
will be attractively decorated, and an
orchestra from Washington will play
for the dancing.

Tickets for the ball may be reserved
by telephoning Mrs. William H. Har-
rington, Boulevard 711, and Mrs. St.
George Cooke, Madison 2929.

Engagement of Interest.
An interesting announcement
throughout North Carolina and Vir-
ginia is the engagement and approach-
ing marriage of Miss Elise Lloyd, of
Durham, N. C., to George Wendell
Tandy, made recently by Mrs. A. F.
Lloyd, of West Chapel Hill, Street,
Durham, N. C., mother of the bride-
elect.

Miss Lloyd is a member of a promi-
nent North Carolina family, and is
popular in the society circles of that
State. She was a former student of
St. Mary's Episcopal School, in Bal-
timore, N. C., and Sweet Briar College.
Mr. Tandy is a graduate of the Uni-
versity of North Carolina, where he
won honors as star center of the Caro-
lina football team.

The wedding will take place on the
morning of Saturday, April 14.

Both Mr. Tandy and Miss Lloyd were
entertained in Richmond last Thurs-
day for the annual football game be-
tween the universities of Virginia
and North Carolina, and several func-
tions were given in their honor.

Highland Park Women's Club.
At its meeting this afternoon, will
be addressed by Miss Elise Lloyd, who
will have for her subject, "Richmond,
the Seat of the First Art Academy in
America." This is an attractive sub-
ject, and one in which Miss Lloyd is
much interested, and the program will
be a most interesting one.

This club meets every Friday after-
noon, in doing good work along
literary, civic and patriotic lines.

Miss Jones's Class.
Miss Lou Bell Cateby Jones will
meet her class today at noon at her
studio, 4 North Second Street, "Striffo-
by" John Galsworthy is the subject
for the lecture and discussion, and
the class will be a most interesting
event.

IN AND OUT OF TOWN.

Mr. and Mrs. Chatterley and Miss
Marjory Chatterley, who spent the
month of February in Richmond, are
now in Raleigh, N. C., and will later
visit Asheville.

Mrs. William D. Thomas, who spent
the early winter season in New York
and Washington, has been visiting
friends here, before leaving for the
University of Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis H. Boshier are
leaving Sunday to spend some time
in New York City.

Mrs. Wayland Taylor, formerly Miss
Kate Slater, is stopping at the Jef-
ferson Hotel this week.

Miss Camilla Scott Wellford is leav-
ing town this week to be the guest
of relatives in Charleston, S. C.

Miss Nellie Lee is visiting Mrs.
Broughton Beacham at her home in
Baltimore.

Mrs. William S. MacLeod, formerly
Miss Corrie Slaughter, who has been
spending some time with relatives in
the south, will arrive in Richmond
next week to visit relatives on Park
Avenue.

WOMEN'S MEETINGS.

The Capital City Branch, Virginia
Division of the National League for
Women's Service will meet this after-
noon at 4 o'clock, at the home of Mrs.
Francis D. Williams. All officers and
chairmen of standing committees are
asked to be present.

Members of the sewing committee
of the Capital City Branch, Virginia
Division of the National League for
Women's Service, invites all women
interested to meet in Room 111, John
Marshall High School, Monday after-
noon, at 4 o'clock, for the purpose of
girls of the high school Wednesday
responded when called upon to help in
making supplies for the Red Cross.
Each girl will give one hour a week
this week and next, and will be held
every afternoon and before school, be-
ginning next week. Capable instruc-
tors are needed to give their services
to make this movement a success. Miss
Hazel Gallagher, head of the house-
hold arts department in the John Mar-
shall High School, is chairman of the
sewing committee.

Mrs. R. H. Potts will speak at the
women's meeting at the Y. W. C. A.
today at 1 o'clock. Mrs. Potts' sub-
ject is "The Master—A Welcome Visitor
at Morning Watch."

The Junior Hollywood Memorial As-
sociation held an enthusiastic meet-
ing in Lee Camp Hall on Monday.
Plans were discussed for the card
party which it is proposed to give on
Friday, April 12. The chairman is
Miss Grace Perkins, with a committee
to be announced later. The Juniors
will in the near future make three
large flags for decoration on Mem-
orial Day. These flags will be used on
the Lee Monument.

Congestion of Kidneys

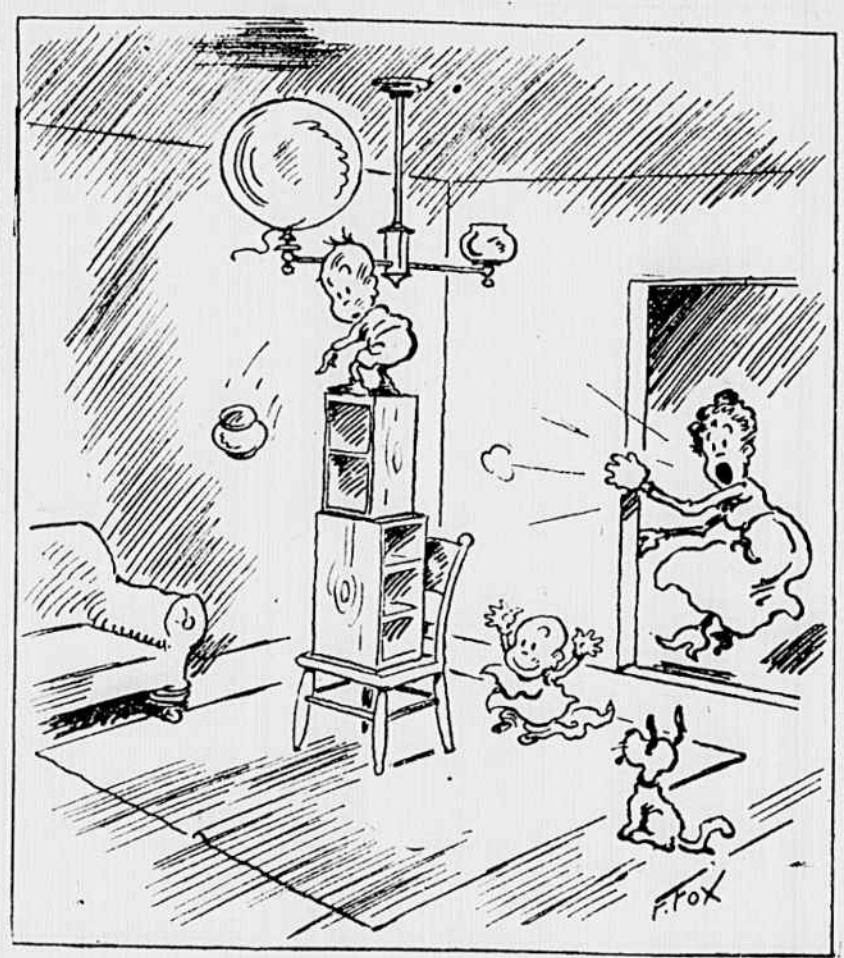
is indicated by pain over region of
kidneys and following the passages to
the irritated bladder. A constant and
pressing desire for urination; the se-
cretion scanty, highly colored, and
sometimes bloody. Then the constitu-
tional symptoms are often head-
aches, eyes bloodshot and burning,
sight, nausea, vomiting, nervousness,
and general discomfort. It is wholly
wrong to neglect such conditions when

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their action is to eliminate congestion,
allay inflammation, destroy bacteria
and restore normal natural secretions.
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Little Egbert's Best Stunt This Week Was an Almost
Successful Attempt to Get His Balloon Filled With
Real Gas
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BENEFIT CONCERT

Marcus Kellerman Gives Song Re-
cital in Auditorium of Bene-
dictine College.

For the benefit of the building fund
of St. Benedict's Parish, Marcus Kel-
lerman, baritone, appeared in song re-
cital last night in the auditorium of
the Benedictine College. Attracted
both by the object for which the con-
cert was given and by the singer him-
self, the audience was so large that
the capacity of the hall was taxed.

At the recital proceeded, the audi-
ence became more and more enthu-
siastic, and Mr. Kellerman was forced
to add many encores to his pro-
gram of nineteen numbers, which in-
cluded a wide variety and a broad
school of song expression. Mr. Kel-
lerman was at his best, and the sym-
pathy of his audience was generous
with voice and effort to the point
of prodigious.

James Womble supplied his accom-
panied excellent support at the piano.

WILL REPRESENT VIRGINIA

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tend Convention in New York
on Tuesday.

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Sale to the large body of officers who
have been designated by the Governor
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Major T. M. Wortham, Lieutenant T.
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tain F. B. Varney, Colonel A. B. Percy,
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L. Wright, Major Allen Potts, Captain
W. M. Myers, Major E. W. Bowles,
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Caesar Massel, Lieutenant Colonel C.
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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
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ceremonies for the inauguration of Dr.
E. W. Sykes as president of Coker
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Mrs. Ricketts will go from there to
Charleston to visit their son, who is
a cadet in Porter Military Academy.
Thence he will go to Wilmington to
deliver an address in connection with
the live-stock show there on March 28.

HELD FOR GRAND JURY

John Washington Charged With Mak-
ing False Affidavit to Get
Crane of Beer.

John Washington, colored, was held
for the grand jury of the Rich-
mond County by Justice Crutchfield
in the Police Court, on the charge of
making a false affidavit to a clerk of
the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Po-
tomac Railroad Company in order to
receive a crate of beer, which had
been shipped by a Baltimore firm.

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Police Court, Washington received a
copy from the railroad company notifi-
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at the freight station for him. Wash-
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said the storage charges and signed a
receipt for the package. Several days
later a man of the same name, for
whom the shipment was intended, in-
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TWENTY GALLONS IN CELLAR

Convicted Once of Storing Liquor, Dan-
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State Supreme Court, was arrested to-
night and charged with a similar of-
fense. Twenty gallons of untaxed
spirits were removed from the base-
ment of his home.

Hatcher said that the liquor was under ar-
rest. Three negro brothers, charged
with transporting, are in jail. Dishar-
mon and Hatcher gave \$500 bond.
The police have been watching the
liquor since it came to Danville by
wagon on last Friday night.

New Budget Is Printed.

The 1917 budget ordinance, as finally
adopted by the City Council and ap-
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for distribution. Persons wishing
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Hurry Your Easter Flower Order

Of course you want the
very best service you can get
and flowers that are abso-
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The next way to be sure of
this is to place your order
at once. We have plenty of
time to devote to each
order to give it the careful
attention that is necessary for
perfection.
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MONEY FOR BOMB FACTORY FROM GERMAN EMBASSY

Alleged Admission Head at Trials of
Six Men Charged With Plot
to Destroy Vessels.

DETECTIVE TELLS HIS STORY

Deputy Marshals Carry Trunkful of
Explosives Into Courtroom, Which
One Exhibited as Evidence Against
Defendants.

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, March 22.—An alleged
admission that money for the estab-
lishment of a bomb factory in Hoboken,
N. J., was furnished direct from of-
ficials of the German embassy at Wash-
ington was read to-day when the trials
were begun here of six men charged
with having attempted to create a reign
of terror on the high seas by destroy-
ing vessels sailing from American
ports with cargoes for the entente al-
lies.

The defendants are Captain Charles
von Kiehl, a chemist, who is accused
of having been engaged in the making
of the bomb; Karl Schmidt, formerly
chief engineer of the steamship Fried-
rich der Grosse; Ernst Becker, elec-
trician; and Frederick Karbade, George
Pradel and Wilhelm Parades, assistant
engineers of the same vessel.

How the police traced the alleged
plot, after bomb explosions in 1915
had destroyed vessels and cargoes
worth upward of \$4,000,000, was re-
cited to the jury to-day by Henry
Barth, a detective, who gained the con-
fidence of von Kiehl by representing
himself as an agent of Wolf von Igel,
said to have been head of the German
spy system in this country. Von Igel
was an attaché of the German embassy,
and returned to Germany with Count
von Bernstorff, former German am-
bassador.

GET IN TOUCH WITH

VON KIEHL LAST APRIL.

The detective said he telephoned to
von Kiehl last April, and told him that
he had been informed that von Kiehl
had written to Wolf von Igel.

"I told him he could only see von
Igel through me," declared Barth. "I
later met him by appointment, and he
told me that he and Dr. Walter E.
Scheele, also a chemist, were partners
in the manufacture of fire bombs, and
dealt also in fertilizer as a blind."

"Scheele," von Kiehl told me, had re-
ceived \$10,000 from Captain von
Papen, of the German embassy, to
finance the bomb making, but he was
in need of more cash."

Deputy marshals brought into court
a trunkful of bombs, which were ex-
hibited as evidence against the de-
fendants.

The plan is alleged to have been to
put bombs either in the holds of vessels
about to leave port, or to attach them
to the rudders. Acids within the in-
struments were so arranged as to eat
their way into contact with each other
after the ship was well out of port, and
cause an explosion. In this way, it
is claimed, many a fire was caused on
ships bound to England and French
ports, and much damage was done.

The head of the alleged plotters was
said to have been Dr. Scheele, who
escaped arrest by flight to Mexico.

BAYVIEW IN DRY DOCK

American Steamer That Went Aground
at Hog Island, Is Now Under-
going Repairs.

(The Associated Press.)
NEWPORT NEWS, VA., March 22.—
Rapidly taking water through several
open seams, the American steamer Bay-
view was towed in port this afternoon
by the tug Roseau, and taken to the
ship yard for dry docking and repairs.
The Bayview went aground on Tues-
day at Hog Island, and had more than
five feet of water in her hold when
floated last night.

The captain of the steamer said that
she lost her rudder, and went ashore,
despite the efforts of himself and the
crew. The Bayview will be surveyed and
dry docked to-morrow.

RALEIGH SOLDIERS DETRAIN

Third Regiment of North Carolina Na-
tional Guard Held to Await
War Orders.

RALEIGH, N. C., March 22.—The
Third Regiment, North Carolina Na-
tional Guard, yesterday morning de-
tained at the station, and was de-
tained at the State fair grounds to
await the mustering-out process or
whatever other turn the critical war
situation may develop.

On Saturday afternoon the regiment
will give a parade and a band con-
cert. On Sunday afternoon there will
be a formal dress parade and review
of the troops by Adjutant-General
Royer and staff.

Dies of Hemorrhage.

Mrs. Nora Watts, about thirty-four
years old, of 1907 Littlepage Street,
died suddenly yesterday morning of
pulmonary hemorrhage, while wait-
ing about her home attending to house-
hold duties. Surgeon Lipnick, of the
City Ambulance, was called, but Mrs.
Watts, beyond medical aid when he
arrived, she lived only a few
minutes after being stricken.

ECZEMA BURNED LIKE FIRE

Broke Out in Blisters. Head
Was Sore. Cuticura Healed.

"I had eczema on my head for about
four years. It would break out in blis-
ters and itch and burn like fire. I scratched
the skin off my head and my
head would be so sore
I could not comb my hair.
I could not rest at night.
All my hair fell out till I
could hardly keep it up
and when I combed it the
dandruff fell like bran."

"My grandmother told
me to try Cuticura Soap
and Ointment and I commenced using
them. My head felt much easier and
now I am completely healed and you
cannot see a scar on my head." (Signed)
Miss Mary Payne, Bradshaw, W. Va.

When used for every-day toilet pur-
poses Cuticura Soap not only cleanses,
purifies and beautifies but it prevents
many little skin troubles if assisted by
occasional use of Cuticura Ointment to
soothe and heal the first signs of skin
troubles. Absolutely nothing better.

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DR. JENKS TO LECTURE ON BUSINESS AND GOVERNMENT

Arbitrator in Switchmen's Strike to
Speak Here To-Night Under Auspices
of Chamber of Commerce.

Members of the various business or-
ganizations of Richmond are invited to
attend a meeting in the auditorium of
the Jefferson Hotel to-night at 8:30
o'clock, when Dr. Jeremiah W. Jenks
will deliver a lecture on "Business and
Government" under the auspices of the
Chamber of Commerce.

Dr. Jenks recently acted as arbitrator
of the switchmen's strike on a group
of large Northern railroads. He spent
a great part of last year in the Orient,
revising the monetary system of the
Chinese government, and he is fre-
quently called into consultation by the
various departments of the United
States government in questions of po-
litical economy.

Dr. Jenks is an associate counsellor